

SIKKIM



GOVERNMENT

GAZETTE

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**RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
GANGTOK**

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NOTIFICATION

Empowering Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) to levy taxes as per constitutional provisions is critical to making them financially self sufficient.

Therefore, Committee comprising of the following Officers is hereby constituted to explore the prospects & methodologies for imposition of taxes by Gram Panchayat Units in the State:-

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| 1. Secretary | - Chairperson |
| 2. Director (Panchayat) | - Member |
| 3. Additional Secretary (Adm) | - Member |
| 4. Additional District Collector (Dev.) Pakyong | - Member |
| 5. Additional District Collector (Dev.) Ravangla | - Member |
| 6. Block Development Officer, Rhenock | - Member |
| 7. Block Development Officer, Kabi | - Member |
| 8. Assistant Director, Panchayat | - Member Secretary |

Terms of Reference.

1. The Committee will examine the detailed tax/ charges levied in the GPUs.
2. The Committee will review the best initiatives for collection of OSR in the State and recommend to the Government.
3. Prepage draft Rules for levying taxes by the PRIs.

By Order.

**D. ANANDAN, IAS
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**